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For: Method of Fabricating Semiconductor)	
Device Having Semiconductor)	
Resistance Element)	

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT B

Prior to examination of the above-referenced divisional patent application, Applicant requests entry of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please include drawing sheet 5/5 incorporating Figures 5 and 6 into this application.

REMARKS

The drawing sheet was incorporated by reference from parent application serial number 09/862,042 at the time of filing. No new matter has been added.

CONCLUSION

Applicant does not believe any fees are due for this submission. However, any applicable fees can be withdrawn from Deposit Account 19-3140.

Applicant believes the application is in condition for allowance, and favorable consideration are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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FIG. 5

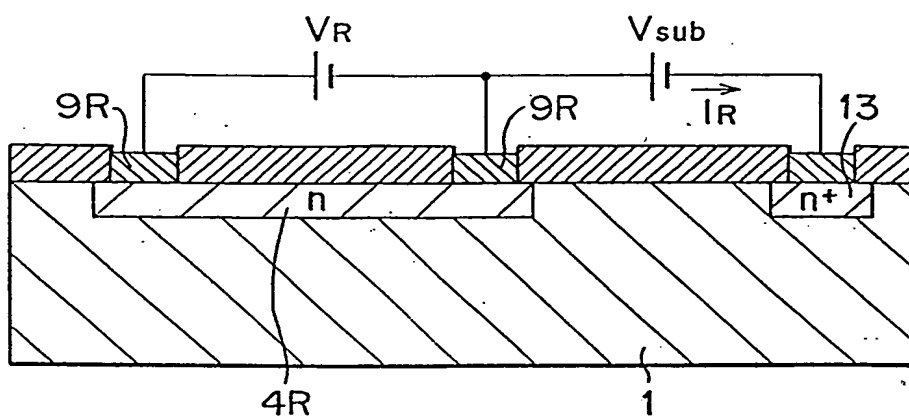


FIG. 6

